



THE MINNIE AND ROSEANNA TURNER FUND FOR IMPAIRED VISION RESEARCH

**YEAR 2018 GRADUATE PROSPECTUS PRIZE MONEY AWARDS
IN SUPPORT OF RESEARCH PERTAINING TO IMPROVEMENT
OF VISION AND COPING WITH IMPAIRED VISION**

ANNUAL AWARDS

A number of \$2,500 prizes and Certificates of Merit will be awarded to individuals enrolled in Member Institutions of the Association of Schools and Colleges of Optometry and who are performing research pertaining to impaired vision.

STEPS IN COMPETITION

- Professors circulate information to qualified individuals concerning their research projects.
- Interested graduate students provide a 500-word prospectus of research that they have undertaken in this field of study together with a letter of introduction from their supervising faculty member.

MAIL PROSPECTUS ENTRIES TO:

Minnie and Roseanna Turner Fund Awards Program
Alexander T. Bowman, Trustee
P.O. Box 11145
Pleasanton, CA 94588

Please include cover letter with the name of your institution, your supervising faculty member and your return address. For more information, telephone: 925-399-1890 or email: abowman@bowmanlawoffices.com

If mailing your prospectus by a non-USPS carrier, please contact Alexander Bowman for further instructions

Emailed submissions will not be accepted for final consideration

PROSPECTUS MAILING DATE — to be received no later than April 1, 2018

AWARDS REPORTING DATE — June 1, 2018

Awards will be reported to all entrants and their sponsors



MINNIE FLAURA TURNER

was an Oakland, California Public Schools English Teacher
whose vision was impaired

• The Minnie Flora Turner Memorial Fund for Impaired Vision Research is a charitable trust to be held in perpetuity for the purpose of stimulating doctoral research related to impaired vision in the academic fields of physics, electrical engineering, psychology, education, medicine and other related disciplines.

• The trustee is directed to distribute annually the net income from the trust in amounts of two thousand five hundred dollars (\$2,500.00) to those graduate students who apply that are enrolled in institutions who are members of the Association of Schools and Colleges of Optometry (ASCO). Applications shall be reviewed by the trustee and the Dean of the School of Optometry at the University of California, Berkeley, who will determine those applicants who shall be awarded the grants. Winning applicants will be notified and awards will be made in June of each year. Interested applicants should provide a five hundred word prospectus of the research that they have undertaken for their doctoral thesis, and these prospectuses should be received by the trustee no later than April 1, 2018. The grants are to be used against expenses which are incurred in the presentation of their doctoral thesis to recognized academic groups.

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